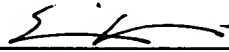


REMARKS

Applicants have amended claim 7 to correct the dependency. Specifically, claims 7, which is a multiple dependent claim, was dependent from claim 3, which is also a multiple dependent claim. Applicant has amended claim 7 to delete the dependency to claim 3. The fee for these additional claims was paid with the Preliminary Amendment filed on July 5, 2002. However, the fees were credited to the undersigned's Deposit Account. Therefore, submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$54.00 to cover the additional claims fee.

Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 7 as follows:

7. (Twice Amended) A semiconductor device according to claims 1, 2, 4 or
[to] 5 wherein a side face of one of the source region and the drain is aligned with one
of the source wiring and the electrode.